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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE **GROUP 2300**

In re application of: R. Alfieri)
Serial No.: 08/187662)
Filed: January 26, 1994) Group Art Unit 2316
Title: Method for Promotion and) Examiner: M. Richey
Demotion Between System)
Calls and Fast Kernel Calls)

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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION

This amendment is submitted responsive to the Final Office Action dated January 3, 1996. It is respectfully requested that the Examiner reconsider his rejection of claims 1, 2, 5 and 6 in light of the comments below.

In the claims, cancel claims 3, 4 and 7.